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Can you see if Region 10 folks in Anchorage can get a copy of this for us? Wiedmer reports it is 32 pages!

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Attached is an excerpt of the document I was describing at the end of our teleconference. We received this at our home during the last week. I have not found it on the Pebble Partnership website.

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Pebble's PROMISE

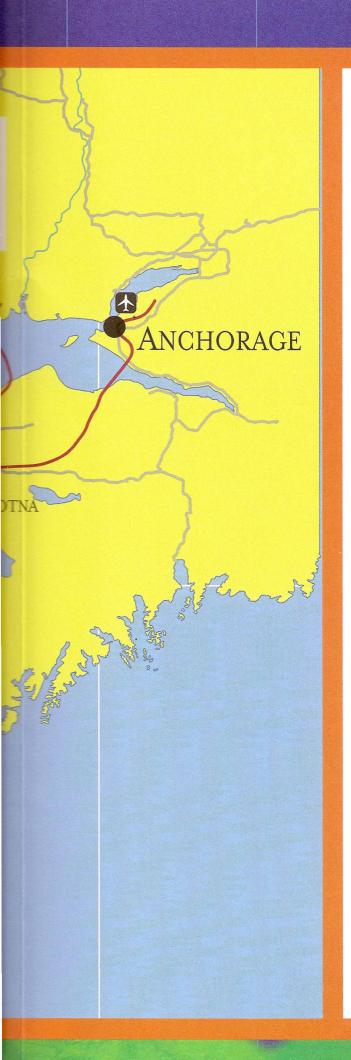
Pebble will only move forward with a mine that respects a thriving Bristol Bay salmon fishery, creates sustainable jobs and provides Alaskans with vital infrastructure.





Kennecott Copper Min

The "Copper River Red" sockeye salmon run remains one of the healthiest in the world following decades of copper mining early in the last century.





Pebble will create service and supply sector opportunities

Mechanized vehicles (boats, cars, ATVs)

Gas stations

Repair shops

Banks

Small general stores

Health services & dental assistants

Local building contractors

Logistics

Expanded air charters

Camp services

Security

Maintenance and repair

Food services



Pebble will help lower costs for everyone in the region

A more developed logistics train spring-boarding from Pebble's infrastructure will lower the cost of everything imported into the region.



Local taxation of the mine will result in better services

Increased local school support

Better local roads

General increase in economic activity could lead to new community utilities.